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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Dear Ms. Bitar,

This paper is being submitted in response to the non-final Office Action mailed July 8, 2009. This Amendment and Response is within the three months from the mailing date of the non-final Office Action making this paper due on October 8, 2009. If any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fees or credit any overpayment to the USPTO Deposit Account GEMS-IT, Account No. 502401

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.